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**NOTIFICATION**

The Government of Sikkim is hereby pleased to constitute a Steering Committee on Climate Change for revision, implementation, monitoring and evaluation of the State Action Plan on Climate Change (SAPCC) and any other Bilateral/Multilateral/ National/State-specific supported climate change programmes in the State of Sikkim, consisting of following members, namely:

1. Chief Secretary-	Chairman
2. Secretary, Science and Technology Department-	Member
3. PCCF-cum-Secretary, Forest and Environment Department-	Member
4. Secretary, Food and Civil Supplies Department-	Member
5. Secretary, Agriculture Department-	Member
6. Secretary, Horticulture Department-	Member
7. Secretary, Rural Development Department-	Member
8. Secretary, Land Revenue and Disaster Management Department-	Member
9. Secretary, Health and Family Welfare Department-	Member
10. Secretary, Urban Development Department-	Member
11. Secretary, Water Resources Department-	Member
12. Secretary, Animal Husbandry & Veterinary Services Department-	Member
13. Director, Remote Sensing and Climate Change Division - Science and Technology Department-	Member Member Secretary

The Terms of Reference of the State Steering Committee on Climate Change shall be as follows:-

1. The Committee can constitute a Working Group (Core Group) of experts from the Sectoral Departments, which may act as a functional arm for the revision of SAPCC in the State of Sikkim.
2. The Committee shall review, monitor and evaluate the progress of the SAPCC in the State of Sikkim based on a joint report submitted by the Working group (Core Group), Technical partner and State Nodal Department on Climate Change.
3. The Committee will consider and approve the State Action Plan on Climate Change (SAPCC) before submitting it to State Government and MOEF&CC, GoI for approvals.
4. The Committee may, if required, invite representative of funding agency or relevant NGOs/experts as Special Invitee to the State level Committee's meetings.
5. The Committee may make suitable recommendations concerning the implementation and funding of SAPCC to the relevant funding agencies.
6. The Committee shall provide guidance and recommendations on preparation and implementation of projects/proposals on climate change sponsored/funded by the state Government of Sikkim/ GoI/ bilateral and multilateral agencies.
7. The Committee may monitor and review all the climate change related projects/programmes in the state.

The present notification also supersedes earlier notifications issued for the steering committee constituted on climate change programmes in the State of Sikkim initiated through the nodal department for climate change, i.e. the Science and Technology Department.

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